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GEO. MUBRAY BAIN,

NO BUILDING BIG KNOUGH. Probably the two women whose names we are about to mention (by their good will and consant) never saw or even heard of each other. A nothing would induce him to allow us to broad bit of antwater rolls between theplaces where they severally live. Still, the world is getting smaller every day, and it is quite possible they may meet; if they do, they will have a common aubject for a talk. Without waiting for that, however, we will lot the reader into the secret (so far as it is a secret) right on the spot The first lady to be named resides at Bishop's Nort on, near Kiston, Lindsey, Liscolnehire, and in a letter dated the 16th of the blastering monthof March, 1893, the save, I trembled from

This would secreely be worth mentioning if

had been simply the result of a fright and there! fore bound to pass off in a few mlautes. But i histed for'n long time and did not arise from a fright or from my other form of exchement. meant sheer weakness and a wholesale upustting of the nerves. I was constantly sick and dixay. she says, and had a dall pain between the tiny creature, with a equesky voice and an shoulders. I had no appetite, and the effect of importment nose; but he walks about as what little I did cat was so bad and gave me so though he thought the whole square bemuch distress that after a time I hardly dared longed to him. He has several irritating touch any food or drink. During this period I habits too, one of which is to bark at everymay just medition that I was terribly constipated, thing and everybody. When he first came, intervals of ten days sometimes clapsing between he barked almost from morning till night, the notions of the bowels. No lazatives or enemas availed to relieve this condition, and I and for the first month or so Paps was became more feeble and prostrated day by day, and for the first month or so Pap My illness began in August, 1892, and after four inundated with letters of complaint. months' suffering I was completely sured in De-HIS paper is now issued every day. cember by your remedy. Indeed it was not 'I cannot understand what pleasure you

twelve months.'

that the whole system is badly out of order.

And so it was. The complaint, she says,
came on in October, 1890. It was marked by failure of the appetite, pain and weight in the

and read so much about, I did so, and soon policemen and dog had disappeared round found relief - a relief that none of the other medicines I had used were able to give me. My lost appetite came back and my food digested satily and strengthened me. You hardy need be rowing description. Alice wept and Paus have alled nothing since. Yourstruly, (Signed) when he was summoned for allowing his

be a dull world if they did. But these two will room.

He ordered Martin, our butler, to you plaint indigeation and dyspepsis; and thus, Mother Seigel's Carative Syrup, which restored them both to health, is one of the very best friends in time of trouble that their sex ever

And what is more, if all the women in this kingdom who think the same were collected iningdom who think the same were collected in the young lady.

one meeting, no building could be found hig the young lady.

Alice and I want to the court also; but

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They tikes their line, ar ministern they ance. takes it attite 'un bold ;

They ve a wunderful corpacerty fur awall. visibly-dro you Sir Anthony Bermanne't tin' whort they're told-More capeabal if it appens for balles. Ho it adds to ar renarn when folks see t climbin' dam.

An surgests a pop lar song whorh as gorn trate thought this meant some little girl

Open door ? We put ar foot darn | yer oud lady ! car the lion roar (Through the Chawzo'lor of Egschoquer) in 'a mide : Yet they've run up a partition where ull point. He turned purple, and uncollection block thet open door,

And leave this lot a-shiverin' artaids; Yusa, when Rucks said, 'You git!' their we told er ships ter quit. An' we are applicationed for bein' there And whort sukshing oud by finor fur ter gine respect in Chiner— Or more lierble ter mike a Briton awear

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Tor put this country arf-a-centalry back. But we're weary of this bis, and we're sick of it, we in

And 'Fool, Britannia! sint a treat ter hild we're witin fur the time when the ob familyet thome Will dare ter ave that ole familyer ring.

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looked upon him as a white elephant. -Jumbo may be a very well-bred dog; but his manners are poor. I think he has toohigh an opinion of himself. He is only a | 27 One hasty old gentleman wrote, saying :

The subscription is fixed at Five necessary for me to take quite one bottle. It can find in keeping such a yelping cur. Dollars, per aunum delivered in Hong- my one who reste this little statement of mine Pleasure be hanged ! exclaimed Papa. Kong, or Eleven Dollars Forty Cents in- wishes to know more about my case, I will who is equally hasty, 'if I hear any more cludnic postage to Coast pacts.

Who is equally hasty, 'if I hear any more cludnic postage to Coast pacts.

Signed Mrs M. G. shout the wretched animal, I'll shoot him. After that Alice kept Jumbo in the house The second lady, writes from her home No. for a week; at the end of which time he 12. Horgan's Buildings, College Road, Cork, escaped, and slipped out one afternoon as dating her letter the 27th of the sunny month of the milk came in. He did a good deal of June, 1893. She rays, 'Everything was a trouble and a burden. For nights together I got no close. I couldn't bear the noise of the children. With a coilie about seven times as large as The projectors, basing their estimates close in my misery. I often thought I was down an area and killed two valuable Pergoing to die. I was in this way for nearly sian kittens belonging to the old lady next

Now this was had; very, very bad. When a She wrote a most injured letter to Papawoman cannot bear the noise of her own children and alluded to her desolate heart. Lucwhich of all noises is least observed by a kily it came by hand, and Mannons was able mother's ear-why, her nerves are, as we might to intercept it. She wrote a sweet letter to my, all gone to pieces. And, insenach as the the old lady and sent in two new Persian nerves ere only a part of the body, it follows kittens from Whiteley's-they cost Alice 15s. 6d. each and she bought them instead of a new spring hat.

Alice used to dread the night of a policochest after eating, a sinking feeling at the pit of man, and Tom has squared a good many signs with which the readers of those articles poor Jumbo. Finding the front door on the chain, he immediately assumed it had been Of the progress of the malady and how low it left open for his benefit, and ran out into reduced her she has already spoken. The end of the square-without his muzzle. Unforit all-s bappy end, thank Merey-was like this tunately there was a new policeman on the 'In September, 1891,' she adds, 'my husband best, and by the time Alice missed Jumbo persuaded me to try a medicine he had heard and rushed into the equire after him, both

Then followed a scene of the most hartold that I continued taking the medicine, and stormed (and Papa can storm too), but it soon I was well as over I was in my life and was nothing to what he said the next day dog to be out without a muzzle. He said Women, like men, never agree on all the -but I will not repeat what he said.

> He ordered Martin, our butler, to go PRICE LISTS down to the police-court. Before Martin went Paper o ached him particularly as to what he might say, and even more particularly as to what he might not say. He told him to be sure and explain to the magistrade the dog belonged-not to him, but to

we were thick voils and set well at the lack. Martin is a very small, man with a timid manner and somewhat insignificant appear-

The magistrate, who seemed rather irrit-They keeps it 'art a mo' an then they able, glared hard at the poor little man and said in a voice that made him shake Tom, who was with us, laughed so loudly shivered. Martin nervously explained he was only the butler, and he had come to When they ear of we've hin diddled- say the dog did not belong to Sir Anthony who might well be forgiven for forgetting And needs some alteritions, does that to look after her pet, because I distinctly Britannia + Britannia's fooled and he hesitated a moment. Then he said in a less stern voice than he had hitherto Bristone never never its it once in ten, spoken in, And how old is the young

Now this was a question for which Martin was wholly unproposed. Papa had never thought of boacking him on that ly turning haif towards us, stammered About twenty-six of twenty-seven, sir, should think, but I don't know for cortain. Martin is terribly truthful. Alice, who has only just turned twenty-five, grew very red, and muttered, Little beast, * Ten shillings and two shillings costs;

cold the megistrate abruptly, and we left Papa was grimly amused by our account of the proceedings; but his merriment changed to atthoyatice when he read the

account of it in the Blankdire World. It was headed 'Our Member's Puppy and it gave an excellent portrait of Martin. side by side with one of Papa.

Martin was alluded to as the somewhat: eccentric-looking individual who represented Sir Anthony Redmayne'—it was unfor-turiately very near the efections, and Alice han heen in Papa's bad books ever since She sold Jumbo to a shop in the Brompton-road for 10s til, and is altogether-including the licence and the two Persian kittens 38s. out of pocket. has been extremely cold to Mr Kingsley ever since, which Tom says is just like a woman, so beastly unjust. - Pall Mall Gazette

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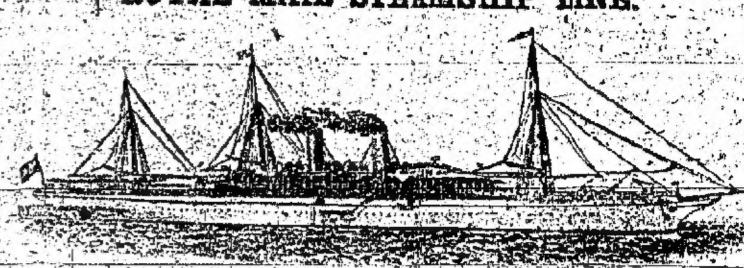
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PLAGUE-1 case; 2 deaths.

A rew copies of the Typhoon Table prepared by the Meteorological Department of the Government of India have been printed separately. Any Subscriber who takes an interest in such matters will obtain n topy by sending a note to the China

Ar Sydney on the 25th May, F. Bent champ, a Tasioanian cyclist, lowered all the Australian records from 20 to 100 miles. His time for the 20 miles was 36 mins 5 1.5 secs.; for the 50 miles, 1 hour 34 mins. 45 4.5 secs. ; and for the 100 miles, 3 hours 25 mins. 21 45 secs.

Tue Band of The 'King's Own' Regiment will play the following Programme at the Happy Valley, to-morrow, at 4 p.m .:-

1 -Overture Militaire Gapunein. y.-Relection 'Inlanthe' Ged Have The Queen.

THE days of thirty years ago, when fast passages were made by the sailing tea clippers, appear to be coming back to us. Of course, when the P. & O. mail steamer delivers-the-mail-from-Singapore-in-fourdays and a half, one readily-admits such an achievement to be a distinct advance upon former times, when twice the time was often taken on the passages between Singapore and Hongkong. British 4-master Muskuka (Capit. Crowe) however, did the run to llongkong the other day from Cardiff, in 86, days; and, if our memory serves us, this is almost a focord run from Home. The teachinger Ariel (Unpt. Keny), in hier palmy days, came out in 85 or 86 days; lait such runs have but soldom been done, and we believe he has distanced most sailers on other routes before now. The British 4master Maropolis (Capt. Richard), which sailed from Cardiff four days before the Muskulyi, arrived a few hours after the record breaker, establishing a record of

VESSELS AT THE DOURS :- At Kotologn --Correspolitant - (None).

something under 90 days from Home.

value. - Robinson Piano Co.

Aberdeen. - (None).

kushima through Siberia from Berlin still remains fresh in the public memory as "it gallant adventure." According to the Oseka Mainichi, Major Nonaka Katsuski has decided to follow the Colonel's example. He left Borlinon the 9th March last, arrived at St. Fetersburg on the 11th of the same month, and left there on the 22nd with a pass from the Russian Government. to travel to Vladivostock by way of Moscow and Siberia, where he intends going down the Amoor River. - Nobe Chronicle.

WHEN Mr Rice, of the Gunners, made a b g of 1031 couple of snipe in 1893, it was haried as the record bag of snipe, not only | Manila and his property confiscated. in Ceylon, but in Asla, and all the Sporting papers in India agreed that it was a record for one gun imone day. On top of this, we have Mr J. E. Smart, late of the Ceylon Civil Service, coming forward and telling the readers of the field that on one ocession, a certain anortaman-name not tioned - 'twenty-five years aro' shot couple for a wager. This, of course, colipass anything we ever heard of before. phosfalike a little more information as to barnes and dates, sto hafore accepting what, after all, must be a reminiscence. albeit a very pleasant one. - Times of Cey-

Use of our native contemporaries gives bonie particulars of the wrock of the Chinese bruizer near Port Arthur recently. vestel which was telled the Facthi Chafoo for Purt Arthur at daylight on the 8th inst. She had's crew of 140 and about a duzen passangers. A heavy storm alld tionse fog came on in the course of the day. and when the vessel arrived off the port shout 4 p. m. she letge her anchor, because, since Port Arthur was leased to the Rusisans, no Chittene ship has been allowed to enter without obtaining the special permission of the Muscovite authorities. The day having been overcast the ship apparently was not perceived from the thurs. At any into her captain could and the harbour officials did not come near hor, in fact could not come near her, as Muy usually do. Under these circumshinees the captain was afraid to go inside depided to remain where he was outside the entrance to the harbour under reduced steam. The storm increased towards night. and the vessel was arried over opposite the four of the liver, which did not get better that prisoner and no intention when he Laotai hill, where the went ashore on the and vesterday afternoon his brother-in-law, walked into the house of using the revolver. mediately split upinto three pieces. The hospital where he died last, night, from when the struggle took place between Miss Russians were not able to render any assistant failure of the heart's action, baving been Portaria and the prisoner, Ozorio was pro- ly shown lately when a board was appoint whose incomes remain stationary nominal tance wh account of the heavy weather, and but four bours in hospital. Capt. Vincent ceeding to lead the revolver. He was proall on board were drowned with the excepwas 49 years of age and has been out here bably threatening the revolver at the time equipped as cruisers. Instantly, from in our own particular small way, we find, better he forgotten as the tion of four persons. The occurrence is a some 26 years. He was much respected to give the more of the person he was every port and dock-yard of the person with every printing office in present indications were in favour of a conveniently near Manile, to put their

Tuz Health and Vigour of an Individual depend upon the quantity and quality of the Blood. Piguan Loti, the charming French novel thrown down his old and venerated mother, country at cost price nothing more any more than our contemporaries. We writer, in the course of an interview granted and the action of the deceased put the last though some of them work, there are writer, in the course of an interview granted and the action of the deceased put the last though some of them work think it time that a check whe put to this thrown into the blood, waste producte, and if to the representative of the New York touch to the anger which had been for the repairs totting up 75 per cent, of their ori- vile extertion. these he not aliminated but (through any cines) detained in the blood they influence untition and fraction and thelly produce organic disfels, Searcy, Resems But Legs, Shin and shoot of the foundation of ies imitations and sphalfentes.

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THE FRENCH IN SOUTH CHINA.

TROUBLE AT KWONGCHAU-WAN (From Our Own Correspondent.)

Hollow, June 22. For some time there have been rumours with much opposition from the natives in and J. G. Smith. taking possession of their new naval atation at Kwongehau-wan.

and that all the mombers of his family have ed for the defence. been severely dealt with.

minent native military official, says that the to clear up certain evidence. natives in the vicinity of Kwongelian-wan refuse to sell provisions to the French, who ing called, and the Chief Justice unheld compose the garrison, and that they are the objection. hostile in other ways, so much so that the Chinese officials have had to interfere to bring the mtives into submission without a direct breach of the peace.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

(Surplus to the 'China Mart.

LOSEN, Jano 22. THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR. The Spanish papers still continue to tall of peace, and the Correo dwells on the injury that the war is causing to trade and

FRANCE M. Sarrien has failed to form a Ministry.

LAUNCH OF THE ALBION. H.M.S. Albien has been successfully launched, the ceremony of christening being performed by the Duchess of York. never beaten. If they have, we shall be When the vessel took the water, the disglad to know it. Capt. Crowe is to be con- placement caused a huge wave, which overgratulated upon another demonstration of whelmed astaging, whereon three hundred the fastness of the vessel he commands, as of the working class were located as spectutors, and it is foared sixty were drowned; thirty-four bodies have already been re-

> THE ADVANCE ON KHARTOUM. General Sir H. H. Kitchener and most of his officers have started for the front.

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued from the

Observatory :-

THE Castleline of steamers has been with rawn from Madagascar owing to the prohibitive character of the French tariff. The same old story of French exclusiveness !

thunder showers.

THE Oscila Asulti states that one of the Philippine rebel leaders, named Ramon who has remained at Yokohama for a considerable time, is preparing to return Manila. He paid a visit to the U.S. Consulate at Yokohams on the 8th inst. of Ramoak children were murdered et

THE tolegraph communication between Japan and Formosa is by a single wire The messages sent daily number now be tween 800 and 1,000. Owing to the inadequacy of the line, masages are very ap to be delayed. The Government has d oided to make a double line and an approprintion for that purpose has been granted. When the work is completed about 1,000 messages may be sent without delay.-Robs Chronicke.

Turke is no error more vulgar than that which dellares that the people of United States have no right to the burbarous but useful term 'Anglo-Sakon: are told, for example, that what little Esdishry they under possessed has long ago. buch bred out of them by furtian intermisture, and that the new American is a compound of a hundred races with hardly n dach of the true English-speaking strain hildre preposterous notion was never put forth by thuse who are induced by a muddy mixture of pride and ignorance to retaliste for American rudeness and boorishuess in the present. Fortunately these extreme anti-Americans are few and significant of little. - The Spectator.

THE Singapore Free Press of the 15th inst. death of Capt. J. F. Vincent, the well- Francis contended that the prisoner may known member of the pilot service of Sin- have thought the revolver was a uneful gapere. Capt. Vincent has not been very article for protection against this ves. well for some time, but was apparently was furnishing his house at the time, and carry on his work. At the end of last article to have in the house. He asked Mr G. A. Derrick, persuaded him to go to lat that time and in that connection, and

Herald, said :- My personal opinions on last two or three months boiling, bubbling qual cost. There were arough of them to the subject are well known. I regard the and overflowing in the unfortunate prisoner. here provided each cost town in the action of America in Cuba, and expecially. It was the match set to the gunpowder, United States with a marine glub and a On her last toyage down from Hankow a equipment of the troops required to be made used in the bombardment. So long PULLE Chemist at Rawareness and the Powers will stamp any advance of entertained the definitions. He put to the Mukhah How Charaberlain's Cough England in that regard as a nienece to jury that the prisoner had a weakness of Remade has attained a prominence in this Bureps and as recognition of a principle mental constitution which might easily lead

listely, and though to his only been in- of force and of appression fraught with to insanity, that he was a victim of a dolldistrict, and though it has taken the danger, as a present which must be ston, the result of his pun disordered pas-tend the remarks made by my tuetomers suppost is the bud, as the thin edge of the feel. From remarks made by my tuetomers suppost is the bud, as the thin edge of the ston, of his result of his design and stong of the result of his result of his participal wedge of a dangerous index against which that medical book, that he was a subject of

THE PORTUGUESE MURDER TRIAL. At the Supreme Court, in Criminal Sessions, to-day, the hearing of the charge of murder against Josn de Matta Ozorio, was

The following comprised the Jury :-Mesers H. Smith J. Orange, S. Hancock, n Holhow that the French are meeting M. Grote, A. F. Smith, G. de Champeaux

Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney General (instructed by Mr H. L. Dennys, Crown One report says that the native pilot Solicitor) conducted the case for the prowho brought the French war vessels into secution; Mr J. J. Francis, Q.C. finstructthe Bay has been killed by his neighbours, ed by Messra Wikinson and Grist) appear-

The Attorney General asked leave of the The last report, which comes from a pro- Court to recall the witness Glafira Portaria

Mr Francis objected to the witness be-

SPEECH FOR THE DEFENCE,

Mr Francis, addressing the jury for the defence, referred briefly to his introductory remarks at the opening of the case for the that the prisoner at the time of committing nonsible at law for the act, that the circumstances under which the act of-killing was to justiff a verdict of manulaughter: committed by him were of such a character as to justify the jury in finding that the act was not wilful, gas not premeditated, was of I the man was insane they were bound to such a character as would justify the jury in returning a verdict of manulaughter. The fact that he was not able to put before the jury any direct evidence of insanity in the prisoner's family, any insane acts or insanity of the prisoner in the early part of his life, did not exempt the jury from investigating the question before them. Whether the prisoner was or was not insane at the time of the commission of the offence, the evidence of his present state of mind had no direct bearing on the question: The medical men were not in a position to give the state of the prisoner's mind, either before or at the commission of the crime. They had heard from the medical ulticers that a man paight be insone at the committal of the event, and might have shown no signs before or after the event, There was such a thing in connection with bodily disease, when that disease had not shown itself as something could be described, nevertheless tendency of that disease might exist, and might exist for many years, and might show itself by slight signs to which no importance | had been called. was attached at the time and were only

read and understood when the discuss

showed itself distinctly on the victim. My

Francis held the same thing must exist in the human subject in mental disease. The indications might be none, might be few. On the 24th at 11.50 a. The barometer might be trifling in their own character; no has fallen generally, particularly in the importance might attach to them in the cir-BRINSMEAD & Allison Pianos, the very best North. Gradients moderate for S. winds cumstances surrounding the unfortunate on the China coast, rather steep with sufferer, and it night be only when the strong S. W. monsoon.over the China Sea, disease had manifested-itself in a concrete THE equestrian journey of Colonel Fu- Forecast :- fresh S.W. winds ; squally, form that any importance was attached to these indications which if carefully studied at the time might have indicated the probabilities of the possibilities of the case. Counsel referred to the prisoner's early life. As a boy he was of a very violent temper, and known to his schoolfellows as 'Crazy Joan.' His conduct at that time was sufficient to woman, by the daughter and by in later life in Hongkong his temper was I me to the house of my sister. uncertain, his actions so eccentric that many of his intimate friends had entertain- allow her. ed similar views about him, and had not hesitated to say that the proper place for not want an account of what happened the prisoner was a lunatio asylum. Mr Francis referred to the circumstances under | p blic might know. which the prisoner charged Miss Portaria with infidelity to him without one single with that. We only want to know why shadow of ground for his suspicion. He under law sentence of death should not was deluded by his unprepared study of passed upon you. a medical book. He had got certain Prisoner-I am not guilty. If I did ideas into his lead which in themselves that man I do not know how it was, must be absolutely wrong. Since January have lost my mind. I lost my head at the he was constantly worrying and thinking I time the firearm was discharged. I can over those absurd ideas he had got into his leav nothing else, otherwise, it will break mind, looking wund for material to feed I the hearts of all here. his doubts, and suspicious, thoughts and ideas which ought to have had no existence, I said-Joan do Matta Usorio, According to the evidence of Miss Portaria | been found guilty on what I take to be and Miss de Jesus, this was a constantly | very clear evidence of the offence of recurring daily matter, the subject of con- which you are charged. templation with him. It had become a had a long and careful tried, and a very monomania; it was that one idea with which full and able defence by your learned his mind was filled every leisure moment counsel. I am not going to make rethat he had time away from his busi- marks on your crime; because I do not ness and ordinary daily occupation, wish to add to your pain. I will only beg Prisoner had not the slightest grounds | you to endeavour by prayer and contrition for - his suspicions of de Jesus or any other man. Up till the last day when the fatal shots were lived, he continued worrying the girl about the matter, showing he never had fastened his suspicions on one single person of the other. Not only was be worrying the girl every day he was in the girl's company, but he was writing insane letters; and also writing letters in the sacracy of his own room, which were never sent. This delusion had taken postession of his mind to the exclusion of everything else, and he threatened suicide. In connecsays: - We regret to announce the sudden | tion with the purchase of the revolver. Mr

only slightly indisposed and was able to may have thought it was a necessary week he suffered slightly, from inflamma- the jury to infer from the facts before them five guineas a night melancholy commentary on the stringency of the stringency of the stringency of the Russian administration in their new and four children, who are at present in sequence of the stringency of th jury to infer that de Jesus addressed the ing with the sacred fire of patriotism, wages 100 per cont. more than se did in prisoner in very angry tones for having cought to foist them on their bleeding 189, and we do not think we are robbed reviewing the United States troops in was in contemplation it is quite ob-

lead and America I certainly think it must likely, but I do not for one mount of the property of the the firing of the resolver was a should be now to prove the property of England in the fruits of America are proved that the firing of the resolver was an absolutely many impulse chief it was a possible for presence to resist. The middle evidence above these at the time of the examination of the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same absolutely many impulse chief it was an absolutely many in the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same absolutely many in the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same absolutely many in the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same absolutely many in the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same absolutely many in the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same about the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same about the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same about the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same about the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same about the presence to resist. The middle evidence above the same and the presence to the presence to the presence of the presence to the presence the same and the same and the presence the same and the same about the same and the same and the presence of the presence of the presence the same and the same

THE SUPPRESSION OF THE FOREIGNER.

The following summary of an article in the China Gazette is well worthy of conideration in Hongkong, where the conditions of the labour question are analogous to those in Shaughai :--The impudent endeavour is being made by the Chinese to depose the foreigner

from his suppenacy in these Settlements

Francis thanked the jury most sincerely on to whom we have committed the preservabehalf of the unfortunate prisoner for the tion of our status and interests wake up earnest attention they had given to the to the fact that a campaign is actually case and the value of the time taken on foot for our suppression, and take from their other occupations. He had immediate steps to foil the insidious foe. no doubt that under his Lordship's direct le threatens to cripple our trade, which is tions, they would be able to arrive at comparatively mature, and our manua satisfactory conclusion. He asked the facturers, which are scarcely adolescent, to jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty on get them into his own unholy hands; andthe ground of insanity, or verdict of guilty to render the continued residence of fore-The Court then adjourned for tiffin, Mr and bondsmen. This has been his position Francis baving concluded an address of since the close of the war three years ago, three hours and a-half duration. The Attorney-General said they had a der it more potent for aggression and more clear case of murder before them, and said tenable for defence. His first success was he could not see much of insanity in the obtained when he was allowed to bring defence. The defence was two-fold. First, ease but a good deal of moral depravity. the increased price of rice into action as The letters and evidence showed that a weapon against foreign domination, prisoner had a month before the committal and since then he has manipulated it so from all parts of the world in connection. of the doed fixed his suspicions on de skilfully that he has bled us with it to the with the death of Mr Gladstone. A move- days Jesus, and had threatened to murder the extent of a hundred thousand tacks a ment has been initiated for raising a man whom he supposed had wronged him, month, in round numbers, in excess of national memorial to the late Mr Glad There was nothing whatever in the evidence | what we paid him prior to 1895. The His friend had retained his defence of inspity as a sort of masked battery. If now finished and flone with; the contrithe jury had any doubt in their minds that bring in a verdict that the man was same. The defence had been most ably surged mest ingeniously set up, but he asked was there no doctor in the whole. Colony that his learned friend could bring to support the plea of insanity. In the cases reported in the books where the defende of insanity had been raised medical evidence had been brought in support of the plot. The At: Had he been finally met when he first torney General's address occupied a period manifested a degree to assess his services at The Chief Justice, in his summing up, an it now does. He might easily have been dealt separately with the defences set up. defeated on that point at the beginning, Taking the case of the Crown as proved, for after all, what does his argument where a defence of insanity was set up, the lamount to? A Chinaman consumes say, inter must bring in a vertice of guilty half a picul of rice a month, which before request the Marylebone Club to control surrendered. of murder or not guilty of murder. the war was worth a dollar and a half. Now, the arrangements for the test matches that The evidence brought by the defence to when the grain is dearer then ever it club will do so. support the plea of ineanity might be said has been before, half-a-picul costs three

> VERDICT AND SENTENCE. The jury then retired at 5 17 p.m., After six minutes' consideration, the jury-Mr Seth (Clerk of Court) Gentlemen,

of lifty-five minutes:

have you agreed upon your verdict. Mr H. Smith (the foresan) - Yes The foreman intimated that they had found the prisoner unanimously GUILTY. Mr Seth (addressing prisoner) - Have

you anything to say why sentence of death should not be passed upon you? Prisoner, who was wee ing bitterly, said I say that I am not guilty. It is my conscience tells me I an not walter The fault was committed by the woman and the eldest daughter would not

His Lordship-Explain to him we Prisoner-I wanted to say so that the

His Lordship - We are not congern

His Lordship assumed the black cap, and d make your beace.

Prisoner—I need not, because my His Lordship solemnly prondunced ten-

tenue of death: The prisoner was then removed. His Lordship thanked the jury, and said they might fairly lie expected from attend-

and for the next him bienths, if they The Churt was then adjourned.

Score second thoughts are often accom-

an actual personal assault on him by de by moans of trades-unionism, and the pro-Francis then referred his Lordship to bibility that confronts us of their ultanate numerous cases regarding insanity and success, with its consequent undoing of the criminal responsibility. In conclusion, Mr work of the past half century, unless those igners impossible except as his own servants and every day he is doing something to renoriginal pretext for putting up the rice was the Japanese indemnity, but that is lation of this Province has long been done with, and still the leering pickpicket snavely planders us with this canting humbug in his mouth, - lice modear. His next victory was wen when he was permitted to foun combinations to compol foreigners to compensate him for his slightly increased cost of living, and to contribute to the settlement of the Japanese account with the Central Government. an extertionate value, the evil would not have grown to such an extent as it has, it mould not menace our very existence - here to be remarkable for what it did not con- dollars, and because of this increase the toin. No medical evidence had been given foreigner meekly submitted to the scheme on prisoner's behalf. The prisoner was under which very order of native employée apparently about thirty years of age and arranged for an increase of about 50 per must have Dassed through the hands of cent. of wages. As time went on the some medical men, and none of these men willy heathen was silently allowed to put the screw on tighter and tighter, butil now

ing 100 per cent. more for all kinds of services t an the rates which were gladly accepted four or five years ago. It is true that the Chinaman says his house rent has also doubled in the same period. So it has, but the Chinaman does not pay double-rent. He contrives to pay rather and simple process of herding closer together than ever he did formerly. Cheir plea of increased house-rent may be dismissed as insincers and made only to serve as a cloak for extortion and plundering the guildess foreigner.

With these two pretexts on their lips

the Chinese are combining all round to ch-

to pay without incurring absolute ruin.

When all our fine cotton mills were built it

was entoulated that the existing teriff of

about 20 cents a day would permanently be accepted by the operatives. It is a fair wage for Chinese: The operatives are all young women and girls who could never carosly earn more than half the sum in their own village. They are now demanding 30 to 40 cents and the mills cannot pay it. The mills cannot consequently work at more than half their capacity, and their output is proportionately decreased. Then with coal and materials gonerally standing at their present minous rates, the profits of quantity, and the day, it is feared, is not distant whon they will be compelled to shut down altogether or be turned over for a song to the mandatins, who, we may be sure would angedily find means of overcoming such petry obstacles as extortionate workprople. Bricklayers, masons, and carpenters, we have seen, are striking for double wages. and rioting because they cannot get them at onco. They soon will, however, if the existing difficulties of procuring - such forms of skilled labour he allowed to continue. Blacksmiths and all olabses of metal workers are combining to compol the took companies and machine shops to grant proportionate increases. silk-industry has very nearly been killed by the same cause. In fact all the manufactures and nursuits. in which foreigners engage and in which they have to employ pative workmen are reduced to a state of viltual stagnation and are in a fair way. of becoming the prey of a swarm of mative expitalists, who might or mi ht not, once they acquired the businesses on which they have fixed their evil eyes, keep on a few of the present foreign proprietom in the capacity of managers and superintendents. Our house-coolies, whom we used to ! able to engage in awarms for six or seven dollars a month, are now leaving because we cannot afford to pay them nine and ten, and it is impossible to get others to replace them at the old figure. The very barbers and washer-cooles have struck for double wages and only resumed work on achieving victory, and winning more money from the pockets of the unfortunate foreigners

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MALL

THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF AT GIBRATTAR

n Spain has again been displayed. Major- The cruiser Columbia is a steel cruiser. General Richardson, the officer command. She was built in 1812 at Philiadelphia, and ing the artillery at Gibraltar, while walk- according to the last American mail accounts ing in San Roque, the summer residence was attached to Commodore Schley's flying of the English at the Rock, was stoned by squadron.]

THE PORT OF WEI-RAI-WEI. Surveys made of the harbour of Wei-haiwei slow that there is a greater expanse of debn water than was expected, but the fortifications are not as strong as they were generally believed to be.

THE LATE MR CLADSTONE. ollowing message: My thoughts were violded. much with you during the trying and pain- June 3. - Mr Knight, the Time corresponful ceremony. Nevertheless it must have dent, who was explured by the Spanisrds been gratifying to you to see the nation's 'on strempting to surreptitionsly land in respect and regret in connection with the Cubs, has been related. memory of one whose character and intel- The Chairman of the Appropriations ectual abilities, marked him one of the Committee of the House of Representamost distinguished statesmen of my reign. tives has intimated that the war with Spain I ever gratefully remember his devotion would cost the United States 600,000,000 and zeal for all concerned in my personal dellars for the year. welfare and family.

June 1 .- Mrs Gladstone has expressed | Ambassador at Washington, has intimated her heartfelt gratitude for the overwhelm- to America that the British Government ing multitude of messages of sympathy has ordered Sonor Carraza, the chief of stone. A sum of £5000 has already been subscribed.

MOBILISATION OF BRITISH ARMY BESERVES. A great sensition has been caused throughout the United Kingdom by the publication of the plans of the Secretary of State for the Home Department Sir Matthew White Ridley) for faciliating the mobilisation of the army reserves.

ENGLISH-WEATHER. The rainfall in England during May was double the average quantity. Heavy-aud destructive snowstorms are reported from Editordshire, Lancashire, and Scotland.

CATHOLIC ASSOCIATIONS IN ITALY. The Times states that the Italian Government intend to suppres all Homan Catholic clubs and associations in Italy.

CRICKET IN ENGLAND. In connection with the visit of the next stood that if the majority of the counties | immediately. Lieutenant Hobson then FRANCE AND AMERICA.

A reciprocity treaty has been concluded between France and America. Each country concedes minimum rates on certain products of the other. BRITISH TRADE WITH AMERICA.

British purchases of produce in America his policy of administration at a meeting for the year ended April 30 were valued of the prefectural Governors of Formosa, at 2118,000,000. The British expects to From a summary of the speech published America for the same period were in a vernacular contemporary, we gather

CASES OF PROSPHOROUS POISONING. Mesers. Bryant and May, manufacturers should be made secure in their positions. of wax matches, have been proceeded and though the Constitution, so far as it against for having neglected to report cases conserns the judiciary, does not at preof phosphorous pelsoning which occurred in sent extend to Formose, he thought the less than he did before by the ingenious | their factory. They were found quilty, and position of a judge might be assured even were ordered to pay the full penalty im- under the present regime, The Goneral. posed by the Act. It is stated that 11 like his predecessors, has made the usual cases of poisoning-were suppressed. THE PACIFIC CABLE.

In the Canadian House of Commons on Friday, in reply to a question whether any tion. He further announced his intention advance had been made in the negotiations to simplify the organisation, and to change for the laying of the Pacific cable, Sir R. J. the plan of policing Formosa. This is done tain wages which foreigners cannot attempt | Cartwright, Minister for Trade and Com- at present by police, gendarmes and sold merce, said he had not yet abandened hope dies, distributed over the island. For of success, although Australia was far more interested in the matter than Canada.

> THE AUSTRO-RUSSIAN ENTENTE ENDED. The Vienna correspondent of the Times states that the entente between Austria-Hungary and Russia has come to an end. Thore is much unrest in Servia in consequence of the state of the health of King Alexander I. The situation is encouraging | the cost of administration must increase, intrigues on the part of Prince Nicholas of and he stated that fifty or sixty million you Muntenegro and Prince Alexis Karagoorge will be raised by the fasue of public bonus vitch, the claiment to the Servian throne, [where !] to meet the cost of the public with the view of securing the succession. / works contemplated. From next year the A TRENCH CARRIELON ECECTED IN WEST

> London, May 60 -The details of the ocoupation of Kishi, in the Lagos hinterland. by British troops, state that the natives be. A Courserember on H. 148 Graffell came discontented and ejected a small writer as follows from Welhalwei to the French garrison. A British force in the China Gazette :- The Ine Chinese building neighbourhood eccupied the town. The known as Admiralty House, last occupied French troops are now stationed in the by the ill-fated Admiral Ting is about its vicinity. They have protested against the | be converted into a Naval Club. Another

> THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ALLIANUE. -London, May 29. - In the course of an being used as Sick Quarters for the interview with Reuter's representative, Mr Fleet, The Town Major -Lieut Gauns Chauncey Depewstated that Great Britain's of H.M.S. Norticaus-may be seen any threat to join America in order to resist the day going his rounds on a bicycle, freforcible intervention of the Powers in the quently followed by an admitting group of war between the United States and Spain, | Chibese children The houses have all had proved of incalculable advantage to been numbered and the streets appro-America, and had paved the way for the pristely named. One is struck with the acceptance of a stronger arbitration treaty | number of empty dwellings one passes with Britain than the one recently rejected. their owners have in many cases pasted May 31.-Mr W. G. Smalley, the Times notices over the doorway to the effect that correspondent in New York, denies authori- This house belongs to mative Ah Ling. tatively that perculations are proceeding | eto. with a view to an Anglo-American alliance. He says that what has occurred has been nothing but a remarkably aboutancous and

> favourable manifestation by the peoples the Spanish steamer Remulue, and certainly and press of both nations. Prayers have been offered in many Canadian churches in favour of an early alliance. June 2.- In the Canadian House of Commons, the Hon. J. E. Foster, Leader of the Opposition, congratulated the Government on the result of the mission of Sir L. H. Davies, Minister for Marine and Fisheries, who recently visited Washington to discuss the preliminaries of a Convention to settle all existing controversies botween Canada and the United States.

> London, May 29. - President M Kinley is od. For even if a bombardment of Manile camp. Mr Russell A. Alger, the United Proper that in that case at least one abili States Secretary for War, has been inform should have been detached to rolice the ad by General Miles, the Commander in approaches to Labuan rather than keep it Uhlet that the preparations for the investon at Manile purely because it outlit and a of Oubs are incomplete and that the small contributor of projection to the

York for repairs. The Foscolia is an iron stehmer of 1538. tons, hunched in 1879, and swood by London, June 2 .- Anti British feeling Mesers. Watts, Watts, and Co , of London.

The Columbia had a large hole in her hul

caused by the impact, and returned to New

June 1 .- Messie: Phil Robinson and Whigham, woll-known English war correspondents, have been arrested at Havana and

ure to be tried as spies. June 2 .- It is reported from Key West that the United States armed cruiser St. Paul on Monday captured the Spanish transport Alfonso XIII. with 1300 soldiers May 31. The Queen telegraphed to on board off Cape Maysi, at the castorn ox-Mrs Cladstone on Saturday, the day of the tremity of Cuba. Seventeen shots were funeral of the late Mr Gladstone, the fired at the Alfonso XIII. before she

June 5 .- Sir Juliah Pauncefote, British Spanish spics, to leave Canada within three-

The American Senate has reduced the issue of bonds for the purpose of meeting the expenses of the war from 500 to 200 million dollars. The Spanish mint is reposide to be

coining a million pesetas daily. It is reported at Madrid that Queon Christina is removing her private property in preparation for Beeing the country, Regarding Lieutenant Hobson's sinking of the collier Merrimac, dotails : recoived show that 4000 men volunteered to assist him. The Merrimue steamed through a narrow passage, passing four forts which were all firing heavily with the advantage of a range known over a number of miles, which route, however, the Spaniards believed to be impassable. Lieut. Hobson anchored the Merrimae in a bond of the pasage arranged upon before starting, and waited until the vessel swung broadside on to the entrance to the harbour. He then touched the electric current connecting but-Australian Eleven to England, it is under- | ton, expluding the torpedoes, and she sank

> THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF FORMOSA.

NEW POLICY FOR THE ISLAND. General Kodsma, the new Governor-General of Formosa, recently seriounced that the Governor-General recognises the principle that the judges in the island good resolutions to improve the affeirs of the island so as not to leave any obstacle to the now Presties being put into operate

police duty he proposes to employ police. men only, and to have the soldiers and gendarmes assembled at certain points so that an effective display of lerce can be made when emergencies arise. The local tax is not to be greater than that imposed under the raine of the Chinese. General Kodama recognises that ordinary expenditure of the island to to bu met out of its internal revenue. - Robe

Jarge building, come way one of the town. the antecedents of which I am ignorant le

We cannot say that we are much impressed with Admiral Dewoy's foresight in letting other vessels before it, have unrestricted scores to the cable station at Labuar, and thus enabling the Spanish authorities in the Philippines to enjoy free communication with Madrid. His squadron is quita strong enough to dotach, if need be, the Petrel and Concord for patrol work in the Southern Philippines, and primarily, for the interresption of all communications to and from Mairid. There was not much use in dutting the Manila cible to Hougkong, while at the same time doing nothing to hinder Spanish despatch bosts from running regularly from places necessity of keeping it concentiated vanish.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will sell by Public Augrion, on . SATURDAY,

the 25th June, 1898, at 2,45 p.m., at No. CARTLE RIAD.

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ONE COTTAGE PIANO. On view from Briday, the 24th June, 1898. Catal goes will be issued. . TERMS :- As C istomary.

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Hongkong, June 20, 1898.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London. 1 88 S. S. Dordogue and from Bor denux-ox 8.8. Ville de Valencienne; in connection with the above Bream r. are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treature, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowas of the Hondrong and Kowloon WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. ... Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless in timation is received from the Consigness before 9 a.m., To-DAY, the 19.h

Iget, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SiTUR-DAY, the 25th Intant, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or nefore SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Patkages will be examined

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Hougkong, June 10, 1898

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NOTICE.

Special SESSION of Her Majest JUSTICES of the PEACE will be hel in the Justices' Room, at the Magistracy, on TUESDAY, the 6th day of July 1898, at 12 o'clock Noon, for purpose of considering an application from one James Edwards, for a Publican's licence to sell and retail intexicating liquora on the premises situate at Waterfall Ba under the sign of The Waterfull Inn.

WM. C. H. HASTINGS. dotting Police Magistrale Magistracy, Hongkong, June 21, 1898. 123

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SINGAPORE.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain BANNATYNE. MORROW, the 25th Instart, at 10 a.m. For Froight, apriy to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, June 24, 1893.

QUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL The Co,'s Steamship
Orestez,
Oaptein Pulson, will be
despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 28 h Instant.

For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE; Hongkon, June 24, 1898.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKL. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). The Co.'s Steamship Hohenzollern,

Capt. H. BLEEKER, William Leave for the above Ports. on or about WEDNESD .Y, the 29 h Inst. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Con Agents.

Hongkong, June 24, 18 8. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL

The Ca's Steamship Captain E. IREHN, due bere with the outward German Mail about TUESDAY, the 18th Inst., will leave for the above Place about 24 hours atter arrival.

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Date of Leaving. Destination. Anstralian Ports...... Teinan (s)...... Butterfield & Swire... June 30, at 3 p.m. Australian Porta Cokio Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha July 1, daylight. Kobe and Yokohama., Ma'auyama Maru'(a). Mippon Yusen Kiisha. July 7, at 4 p.m. London, v. Suez Calia Ocestes (s)...... Butterfield & Swird ... June 28, London, v. Suez Cana Priam (s) Butterfield & Swire ... Inly 11. .. P. & O. S. N. Co About July 7. London Csylor (a) Holliday, Wise & Co. About July 13. London, v. B'pore, &s. Auyuns (8) in Messageries Maritime July 2, at noon. Marseilles v. Baigon ... Sy Iney (a) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Juty b, at 4 p.m. Macilles, London, &c. Sanuri Maru (a)...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... June 25, at 6 p.m. Naganaki, Kobo& Y'ma R satta (1)..... Nippon Yusun Kaisha June 27, at 4 p.m. Na'ki, Kobi & Y'hama Yamashito Maru (s) ... Showan, Tontes & Co. About July 1. New York, v. Suez Can't St. Niniau (a)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co | About June 25. New York v. SuezCana Afridi (1) Siemsien & Co...... Quick despatch. New York, Marian Woodside, Dodwell, Carlill & Co. June 27, at noon, Portland, Oregon, M sgol (8)..... .. Pacific Mail S. S. O. June 25, daylight. S. Francisco, V. Japa Azted (s)....... Seattle, Washington .. Riojan Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha July 14, at 4 pm. Shanghai.....June 25, at noon. Bayera (8) Norddoutscher Lloyd, About June 29. S'pore, H'co & H'burg Dolla (1) Siemssen & Co..... About July 6. S'pore, Penang & C'tt Ku'sang (s) Jardine, Matheson&C. June 20, at noon. S'pore, S'baya & S'rang Hinsang (a) Jardine, Matheion & Co June 25, at noon. Swatow, Amoy & T'sur Hailoong (8)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. June 26, daylight. Vancouver (B.O. L. & Empress of Iudia (s). Jana han Phie R. Co June 29, at noon, Władivostock, &1 ... S gaoni Maru (a) ... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. July 8, at 4 p.m. T'ma, Kobea Nagazaki Hohans ileen (s)...... Norddoutscher Lloyd. About Juge 29.

BHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 23.

Chusan British steamer, 2,862, E. Street, Shangbai June 21, Mails and General, -P. & O. S. N. Co.

June 24. Yamashiro Maru, Japaness str., 1,567 J. Jones, Melbourne May 23; and Thursday Island June 13, Genetal .- NIFPON For YOKOHAMA .-YUBEN KAICHA.

Lycemoon, German steamer, -1,238, G SIEMBSEN & Co. Freir, Danish steamer, 395, C. Funder,

Pakhoi and Hothow June 23, General.-A R. MARTY. DEPARTURES.

June 24. Subine Rickmers, for Swatow. Triumph, for Hohow. --Ariake Maru, for Rangoou. Hein Ohi, for Canton.

Shini Maru, for Yokohama. Hermod, for Saigon. Keelung Maru, for Robe. Loosok, for Swatow. . Chunsang, for Hongay. CLEARED.

Activ, for Hongay. Azice, for Nagisaki and San Francisco. -Glengyle, for Shanghai. PASSENGERS.

Par Chusin, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Mr J. Morrison, Mr G. Mudge, Miss MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PAULPIC RAIL Mather, and 5 Chinese; for Singapore, Mr WAY Co.'s PAOKET. Beaudt ; for Colombe, Dr H reheimor ; The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress for Bombay, Capt. Guilding ; for Marseilles. Miss M. Ebert ; for Landon, via Bombay,

Mr C. M. Firth. Per Yamashiro Maru, from Melbourne, &c. : for Hongkong, Mesers S. F. Lamb, F. M. Paget, J. T. Duff, and Smith. and 29 Chinese women; for Yokulrama, Mra J. H. Parry, Messra W. Howson, Jos Jack. C.cilio and P. Francisco; for Japan, 3 Japaness...

Per Lycemoon, from Shanghai, Mr R. F. Grey, and 36 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The B.itish steamer Chusan reports Fine weather, with faill. The Gorman steamer Lye moon reports N. Ely winds, with cloudy weather Chapel Island ; thence to port, fresh S. W. morecoon, with squalls and rain.

FORT OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will closus-

1230 For WUCHOW. -Per Les On at 9.30 s.m., on Saturday, the 25th June. For BINGAPORE .-Per Contague, at 2.80 a.m., on Saturday,

tha 25th June. For HONGAY .-Per Activ. st 10 a.m., on Saturday, the

For KOBE .-Per Dovo Maru, at 10 a.m., on Sature. day, the 25th June. SING APORE, SOURABAYA

SAMARANG.-Por Hinsang, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 25th June. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

CUTTA .--Por Kuteang at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 25th June.

For SHANGHAL .-Per Peiyang, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the loth June.

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Local Datavantas. Separate Boxes have

been provided for posting Correspondence for the Town, Rowloon and the Peak. The Boxes are under the Window at the East and of the Veraudah facing Queen's Road. Letiers, parcels, So, for Kowloon Point and Steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.80 a.m. and 5.30 p.in. Daites from Kowloon Point may be posted in the fatter Box which has been placed in the Potice Compound outside the Charge Boom ay to 11 and a o'clook, and in the Pillar Ros at the Whart. Local Rates will be charged. To avoid folibery, senders of letters from Lowbon are requested to parcel their samps by writing the word stamped scross there. Covers containing Bank Notes, So, should be registered. No

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For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI .-Per Hailorng, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 25th June.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAWA. Per Rosetter, at 5 p.m., on Haturday, the 25th June. Per-Yamashiro Maru, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 27th June.

Por Kendal Castle, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 26th June. Heuermann, Shanghai June 21, General .- For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY; LAUNCASTER & MELBOURNE. Per Towns: Registration at I p.m., Letters at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the

OF THURSDAY - ISLAND, TOWNS VILLE, MACKAY BRISBANE SYDNEY & MELBOURNE .-Por Tokio Maru, Registration, at 4 p.m., Leiters, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th June.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PAOREC .-The British Contract Packet Chusan will be despatched on SACURDAY. the 25th June, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vil Brindss; to the Straits Settlements, Natherlands India, Burmah, Coylon, A.len, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraitac. namal house will be observed dodog, the Malla Ac.

of India will be despatched on WED: NESDAY, the 29th June, with Maile, for Amey, Shanghai, Japan, United States, Canada, &c., which will be oloned as follows :-.00 A.M. Rogistry cesses."

11.00 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres pondouss may be posted on board the Packet, with the Late Fee of 10 cents celra Postage, until the time of dopar-

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENOIL MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon.

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10,00.A.M.-Registry concon. 10.30 A.M.-Pcotting of Nowspopors, Books, and Patterns couses, 11.00 4. M. Mail closes.

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MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Daylight .- P. M. S. S. Co,'s Str. Aziec leaves for Shanghai, Japan and San

Francisco. 10 a.m -Centaur leaves for B'spore. Noon .- Poiyang leaves for Shanghai. Noon - English Mail-Steamer leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Noon:- Kutsang leaves for Straits and Calcutta.

Noon. - Hinting leaves for Labaya, &c. 2 p.m. - Wooning leaves for Shanghai. 6 p.m. - Rosella leaves for Japan. Auctions.

2.45 p.m. -Auction of Faralture, at No 1, Cistle Bond. Miscellaneous. Goods per Occanion unclaimed after this

General Memoranda. MONDAY, June 27 :-Ancion of Household Farniture, at No .59, Wyndham Street.

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WEDNESDAY, June 20 :-Goods per Bill sarat not p.m. subject to rent. THURSDAY, June 20 :-Goods per Glengyle undelivered after this

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TCESDAY, July 5 :-II a.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Electric Co., Limited, at the Company's Office, No. 27, Quein's Noon. - Meeting of H. M.'s Justices

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of the Peace in the Justines' Room.

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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH SEUTER.) Ogrwann Bound :- Woolwich May 3; of Arts. Ceres, 9; Adama, 13; Aggi, 17; Ben laria, 20-23; Genera C. Tobey (s.v.), 24 Breconshire, Courie, Eddre, Mount Sirion, Samoa, Socotra. roudale, 27; Maria Valerie, Gisclas Chinkiang, 31 ; Hawick Hall, June 3 ; Bayern, Nestor, Queen Mary, Ratho 7: Glenesk, Japan, Arara, 10; Mel-bourne, Ichang, Prometheus, 13; Erato, Erniest Simons, Remns, 17; Carmarthenshire, Coningsby, Drymgarth, 21. HONEWARD BOUND :- Oopack,

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rie, Glancus, 31; Manila, Wally, Ten-

cer. June 3; Menelans, Lennox, Mond mouthshire, 7; Formose, 13; Antenor, PASSED ANJER. OUTWARD :- May 9-Dutch ship Prinses May 10-Brit ship Yarrawonife from London, for Batavia; May 11-Brit.

Rene from Caroline, Feb. 27, for the HOMEWARD :- May 9- American ship McLauren, from Singapore, April 23, for New York | May 11-Dutch ship Bromo from Batavia, May 11, for Rutterdam; May 12-Ger. brig Robilla from Bantjor, May 1, for East London; May 14—British brig Humburg from Hoilo, March 28, for New York.

. Mads.

The O. & O. Co.'s s. a. Doric, with mails morning of 23rd June, at 11 o'clock. C. P. R. Co. s S. S. Empress of Japan left Vancouver on Tuesday afternoon, the 21st June, for Hongkong, via usual ports of call.

Steamers Expected. O. S. S. Co.'s str. Memmon left Sandakan on June 20, and may be gently-kissed her hand. expected here on June 24.

The N. D. L. str. Herthu, from Hainburg, left Singapore for this port of the 19th June, and may be expected here on or about the 25th June. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Taconut has arrived at Yokohama, and sails for Kobe and Hongkong, on the 15th June. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Dencedion leaves Sandakan on the 26th June, and due here on the 30th June.

The s. s. Indrapura, from New York and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 23rd June, at moon. The s. s. Bormide left Bombay for this port on the 21st June, and may be expected here about the 10th July. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Arguil sailed from Portland, Ore., for Japan and Hong-- kong on the 12th June. The C. M. Coi's the steamer Chingwo,

from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal about the 3rd June, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 21st June. The N. P. Co. s. s. Victoria sailed from. Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 17th June.

Latest Advices. The Imp. German Mail s. s. Bayern with the GERMAN MAIL of 30th May, left Singapore on Thursday, the 23rd June, at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 28th

The s. c. Catherine Apear, from Caloutte, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the 21st June. The N. Y. K. s. c. Tokio Maru left Nagataki for this port on the morning of 24th June, and is expected to arrive here on the morning of 28th June.

with a relief from for the Barfett. The in a win for the boys after a most excithold, Wel-hai-wei.

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will play the following Programms at the

Officers Moss, Murray Barracks, evening at 8 p.m.; 1.—Grand March
2.—Overture Militaire E Germain.
3.—Selection... The Nantch Girl S. Solomon.
4.—Value Middle-And I Olio Rader.
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God Save The Queen.

known when or how the specific news of who died on the 10th January last, aged Manile's surrender or capture will be re- fifty-six years, is his widow, Mrs Susan ceived in Hongkong. We have a notion Blanche Mary Stanley Adams, probate the news may arrive here first by wire; having been renounced by Mr William for, so soon as Manila passes from Keswick, and power being reserved to the Spanish to the American pos, grant probate to Mr C. P. Chater. Dr sessors, the necessity for the continuous Adams bequesthed to the executors 200 break in telegraphic communication should dollars such ; to his father, des John then naturally come to an end. Of course Adams, of Hamilton, Lauark, N. B., a life the Telegraph Companies have their in- annuity of 2100; and to Mrs Adams 500 terests and concessions to safeguard, or to dollars, his furniture and household effects, re-form, under the new regime. But that ought to be an easy enough malter of busi-D.C.L., F.R.S., F.C.S., &c., the greatest ness with man of husiness. When may we tor's residuary estate was left in trust for expect news is the question of the day.

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WE learn from Sydney exchanges that the collisis of South Water have demanded an immediate advance of 10 per cent in wages, and the appointment of a conciliation board to settle the question of wages in the future. The meaters have refused to accords to the impand

the blood in dissessed the body to dis-Barel .- Remember that the blood whether pure or impure electricist thenugh the organs of the human body—Lange Board, Stomach, Kidneys Birah. It is later with posterious matter it speaks these or the occurs. In sever of Story. TOTAL SERVICE OF LA COURT OF THE BOARD PROPERTY OF THE BOARD PROPE

THE United States Congress has woted \$150,000 for the defence of Manila by means of torredocs.

AT Shanghai on the 19th inst., the following signal was semaphored :- Typhoon

N.E. of the Paracels, going W. THE death is announced of Sir Robert Rawlinson, K.C.B., Civil and Sanitary Engineer, and Vice-president of the Society

THE despatch vessel Alacrily is expected to arrive here to-night or to-morrow from the North. She will be stripped and made ready for another commission.

On the last voyage of the steamer Chingit from Hangkong to Australia she was stopped at Samboyga by the Spanish garrison, who desired news. They were greatly sur-Sunda, 13; Beneiller, 17; Ixion, 20-23; prised to hear of the Manila battle, and were extremely auxious to know also if Guba was taken by the Americans.

A LONDON telegram dated 30th May, appearing in Australian exchanges, states that H.M.S. Barfleur will replace H.M.S. Amalia for Batavia, from Amsterdam; Grafton as the second flagship of the Bri. tish fleet on the China station. - Captuin brig Elliott from New York for Bangkok, F. W. Fisher, late of H.M.S. Orlando, is Feb. 8; May 11-French brig Felix to assume command of H.M.S. Grafton:

We have received the detailed programme for to-morrow's Gymkhana. The o is a rickshow race for British soldiers and sailors and a Chatti race for Asiatic soldiers. The fields for the pony events are small, but if the weather is favourable there should be some good racing. The first race is at 4 p.m.

&c.; left Shanghai for this port on the A TELEGRAM in Australian exchanges records a pathetic incident at the funeral obsequies to the late Mr Gladstone in Westminster Abbey. At the conclusion of the burial service, Mrs Gladstone, supported by two of her sons, sat weeping at the foot of the tomb. The Prince of Wales

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consignment of literature bearing upon the ramifications of the Company, and giving details of the tours arranged for passengers by this popular line. The handbook of the Company is a highly artistic piece of presswork. A perusal is sufficient to fill one with an ineffable longing to get away from Hongkong. Ma W. Tarn, the storekeeper and cashier at the Naval Yard, Hongkong, has been

appointed to Chatham Dockyard. His

relief comes from Portsmouth Dockyard.

Mr J. P. Thomas, R.N., shiof engineer at-

the Naval Yard, is to be relieved by Floot Engineer Vine, who arrived from home vesterday in the P. and O. Mail steamer. Ballmaral. . MESSES Carlowitz and Co., agents for the Hamburg-America Line, inform us, that they have received a letter from the Directors of the H. A. L. saying that the

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THE executive of the will, dated June 2. 1879, of Dr William Stanley Adams, of the Elms, Springgrove, Isleworth, formerly No definite time or means seems to be Officer of Health at Victoria, Hongkong, and an annuity during her widowhood of £1000. Subject to this annuity the testahis children, or, in the event of failure of this, to trust as to one third for his maters on the water as prepared and used by us Fonz men-are hard drinkers, but many in-law, Mrs Kaye | as to one-third for his mother in law, Mrs. Hugo ; and as to the remaining our-third to the University of Glasgow, for five burnaries, to be tenable for two years, for students in the medical Transposing and Osbin Pianos are invalu-

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